

Docket No.: 50179-087

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Robyn Joyce RUSSELL, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3696
Serial No.: 09/776,910 : Group Art Unit: 1652
Filed: February 06, 2001 : Examiner: Rao, Manjunath N.
For: MALATHION CARBOXYLESTERASE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the subject application on the merits please amend the same as follows.